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Mr. George Shultz Secretary of State United States Department of State 2201 c Street NW Washington DC 20520

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I'm certain that you are acquainted with the heroic efforts of Raoul Vallenberg, who risked his life to effect the evacuation of tens of thousands of Jews who would otherwise have died in Hitler's death camps some forty years ago. It is widely believed that he is still slive, languishing in captivity somewhere in the Soviet Balon.

The Soviet government has never come forth with a satisfactory explanation of the fate of this noble Swede.

President Reagan has an opportunity to raise the question of Mr. Wallenberg's whereshouts and fate when he meets with Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev. It must be placed upon the summit agends.

I foin with millions of other citizens of free nations in urging President Reagan to use this golden opportunity to ask of Mr. Gorbachev the simple question: "Where is Recul Wallenberg?"

And again. I add my voice to the voices of his countrymen:

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Sincerely yours,

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